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(Small Entity)

Docket No.
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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111 and 37 C.F.R. 1.53 is the patent application of:

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For:

IMPROVED LID FOR BEVERAGE CONTAINERS

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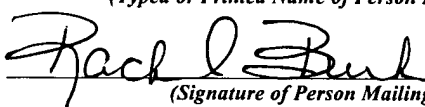
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